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APPLICANT(S):

Christopher T. Zirps et al.

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EXAMINER:

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TITLE:

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Sir:

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- 1. Petition for 3 Month Extension of Time.
- 2. Fee Transmittal.
- 3. Amendment and Reply
- 4. Check for \$1,020.00 and
- 5. Return Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room or other persons are respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at (617) 261-3100.

A check in the amount of \$1,020.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50-1721 Reference No. **B0751/7034**. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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Complete if Known				
Application Serial Number	10/656,557_			
Filing Date	September 5, 2003			
First Named Inventor	Christopher T. Zirps			
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Examiner Name	Beverly Meindl Flanagan			
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METHOD OF PAYMENT	FEE CALCULATION (continued)			
1. A Payment Enclosed:	3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
☐ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ Other	Large	Small		:
	Entity	Entity		- 1
2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit	Fee	Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
or charge any fee indicated below for this submission	(\$)	(\$)		
to Deposit Account No. 50-1721.				
Required Fees (copy of this sheet enclosed).	130	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
Additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and	50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee	
1.17.			or cover sheet	
Overpayment Credit.	130	130	Non-English specification	
3. Applicant claims small entity status.	2,520	2,520	Request for ex parte reexamination	
FEE CALCULATION	120	60	Extension for reply within first month	
FILING/SEARCH/EXAM/SIZE FEES	450	225	Extension for reply within second	
Large Entity	1020	510	month .	1.020.00
		510	Extension for reply within third month	1,020.00
Fee (\$) Fee Description Fee Paid	1590	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
200	2160	1080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
300 Utility filing fee	500	250	Notice of Appeal	
500 Utility search fee	500	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
200 Utility exam fee 250 Utility size fee (each add'l 50 pes, over 100)	1000	500	Request for oral hearing	
250 Utility size fee (each add'l 50 pgs. over 100) 200 Design filing fee	400	400	Petitions to the Commissioner (Gp. I)	
100 Design search fee	200 130	200 130	Petitions to the Commissioner (Gp. II) Petitions to the Commissioner (Gp. III)	
130 Design exam fee	180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure	
250 Design size fee (each add'l 50 pgs. over 100)	160	160	Statement	
	790	395	Filing a submission after final	
			rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
Number Number Rate Amount	790	395	For each additional invention to be	
Filed Extra			examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
Total Claims $-20 = x $50.00 =$	100	100	Certificate of Correction for	
Independent	130	65	applicant's error	
Claims $-3 = x $200.00 =$		(Specify)	Submission of Terminal Disclaimer	
7 V200.00		(Specify)		
☐ Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any \$360.00 =		(Dpoonly)		
TOTAL:				
SMALL ENTITY DISCOUNT:				
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0.00 2. AMENDMENT CLAIM FEES				
Claims Highest No. Present Rate Fee Paid Remaining Previously Extra			SUBTOTAL (3) (\$	1,020.00
After Amend. Paid For	-			
Total 14 $-20 = 0$ $x $ 50.00 = 0.00$			SUBTOTAL (1)	0.00
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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. + \$ 360.00 =			SUBTOTAL (3)	1,020.00
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SMALL ENTITY DISCOUNT: (\$)				
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)0.00			TOTAL (\$)	1,020.00
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